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Subject: RE: Follow up Qs re: community water systems, odors

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Hi Carolyn,

According to David and Diane, it is our understanding you are responding to this. To assist with the last part of the request, I am attaching a link from the TCEQ regarding boil orders.

If you need any other information, let us know.

This is a link to a spreadsheet for TCEQ's boil orders: <a href="https://www.tceq.texas.gov/response/hurricanes">https://www.tceq.texas.gov/response/hurricanes</a>

Thanks, Cary

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David,

Thank you very much for providing the briefing to Congressional staff today. I received immediate thanks from SEPW minority staff who have been asking questions throughout the response.

One follow up from HEC majority staff is of the 50 water systems that are not operating and those that are on boil orders, how many are community water systems vs. non-transient community water systems? How many new releases have occurred as a result of the storm?

Follow up Q from Rep. Gene Green's staff: Has EPA been able to identify the source of the strange odor that has been reported in the Houston-Manchester area and other neighborhoods near the Houston Ship Channel. If not, what steps are being taken to identify the odors and whether they have a potential impact to human health and the environment?

Second, can EPA provide a list of drinking water systems in Harris County, Texas that currently have boil water notices or are shut down?

Thank you for all of your help in responding to inquiries.

Carolyn

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